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CARRICK URBAN COUNCIL WATER WASTAGE.

The monthly meeting of Carrick Urban Council was held on Monday night. Mr. J. Babington, chairman, presided. Also present were Messrs. P. Bourke, T. Murphy, W. Morrissey, D. J. O'Driscoll.

The Acting Clerk, the Engineer, and the Collector of Cottage rents were in attendance.

FIRE FIGHTING.

The Clerk said he had attended a County Conference at Clonmel re the provision of fire-fighting appliances. A report on the conference would be sent to the Council later on.

Correspondence was submitted from Dr. Naughton, County M.O.H., re how the work of the local Red Cross and First Aid classes might be improved.

Referred to the local Red Cross Society Secretary.

ACQUIRING FAIR GREEN.

The Clerk read a long letter from the Local Government Department re the Council's proposal to acquire the Fair Green for housing and other purposes. The Council should see that the facilities for holding fairs would not be interfered with.

A discussion took place on the law regarding open spaces and other points.

Mr. O'Driscoll—The part of the Green to be used for building houses is marked on the map of the Green. We could look after other points later on.

The matter was referred to the Council's solicitor with a request to deal with the matter immediately.

Mr. Murphy—We have had this matter before us for a long time. For goodness sake let us get through with the purchase of the Green without any further delay.

It was mentioned that there is a long delay on the part of the Land Commission in issuing the necessary certificate for acquiring the housing site bought by the Council at Mottel Road, Carrickbeg.

Mr. O'Driscoll—The Council got that site very cheap. We should expedite the acquiring of it.

It was decided to phone to the Land Commission asking them to grant the necessary certificate.

WATER WASTAGE.

The S.S.O. reported that he had taken steps to prevent waste of water. A person whom he had reprimanded for wasting water had abused and threatened him.

Mr. Burke—We should protect our officials in the discharge of their duties and prosecute any person who abuses them.

Mr. Murphy—There is a good deal of waste of water.

The Clerk was directed to serve notice on a number of owners of houses to have water provided without delay for the tenants of the houses.

FOUNTAIN.

Three residents of Claren district applied for a water fountain near their homes.

After a short discussion it was decided to direct owners of the houses to provide an indoor water supply for the tenants.

Mr. Morrissey, S.S.O., was directed to include in that notice every owner of houses in the Urban Area who was not provided an indoor water supply for the tenants.

TO SUPPLEMENT THE DOLE.

Mr. Barry said at the last meeting a resolution was adopted asking the Local Government Department to authorise the County Commissioner to supplement from Home Assistance Funds the very inade-

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quite amount paid to unemployed persons as dole. He asked if there had been any communication from the Local Government Department on the matter.

The Acting Clerk replied that there was nothing on the matter in correspondence.

Mr. Barry—It is very important and urgent. There are families starving who are endeavouring to live on the dole.

Mr. Burke—It is very urgent that the small amount of dole should be increased.

It was decided to postpone the matter until the Clerk returns from his holidays.

HOUSING SCHEME.

The engineer reported that the cost of the proposed middle class houses would be about £650 per house. He did not think that at the present time it would be advisable for the Council to undertake the building of houses.

The Chairman drew attention to the unsightly debris left where condemned houses have been abolished.

Mr. Barry—I have frequently urged that all these ruins should be cleared away.

It was suggested that part of the next relief grant should be used to clear away the debris of condemned houses that have been knocked down.

It was also suggested that part of the grant should be used for the clearing of sites and laying of foundations for the next housing scheme.

It was decided to ask the permission of the L.G.D. to spend part of the next grant as indicated above.

RENTS.

The report of Mr. P. Walsh on the collection of the rents of the Council's cottages was considered satisfactory.

The Council decided to strike out as irrecoverable £22, the total amount of arrears of rent due by nine persons who were recently evicted from the Council's houses.

It was decided to provide a light on the road at Treacy Park houses.

RENOVATION OF THE TOWN HALL.

Mr. Lomergan, engineer, submitted plans, estimates, etc., for the proposal to renovate the Town Hall. He estimated the cost at about £800 and £900.

The Council examined the plans and expressed the view that when the work is completed the Carrick Town Hall will be one of the best of its kind in Ireland. It was pointed out that the work will be done on a loan from the L.G.D. over a long term and that none of the cost of the repayment of the loan and interest will fall upon the rates and the receipts from letting the Town Hall for dances meetings and various entertainments will provide for the payment of the loan and interest.

Members expressed satisfaction at that statement.

The engineer was authorised to invite tenders for the work.

Mr. Barry said the repair of the historic Carrick Town Clock should be included in the work. It had been delayed far too long.

Chairman—We cannot go into that now. Mr. Barry pressed his point about the repair of the Town Clock and it was decided to make provision in next year's rate estimate for the work.

It was mentioned that the offer to buy out the Town Hall as a freehold has been accepted.

Death of Mr. James Condon, Knockmeal.

It is with deep regret that we record the death, which took place at his residence, Knockmeal, on Monday last, Sept. 2nd, of Mr. James Condon.—R.I.P.

Deceased young man was a member of a large and highly respected family, the members of which are well-known in the agricultural and business life of the county. The esteem and respect entertained for the deceased and his family was demonstrated in no uncertain manner at the removal of the remains to Touraneena Parish Church on Tuesday evening, and again at the funeral, which took place at the family burial ground at Newcastle on Wednesday, after the celebration of Requiem Office and High Mass. The celebrant of the Mass was Rev. B. McGrath, C.C., Touraneena; deacon, Rev. P. O'Farrell, C.C., Dungarvan; sub-deacon, Rev. Michael Power, C.C., Abbside. The chanters were Rev. F. O'Connell, C.C., Dunhill, and Rev. Father Murphy, C.C., Modeligo.

In the choir were Very Rev. J. Cullinane, P.P., Touraneena; Very Rev. Fr. Roche, P.P., Kilgobnet; Rev. T. E. Walsh, C.C., Dungarvan; Rev. D. Power, C.C., Aglish, and Rev. T. Fitzgerald.

The immediate chief mourners were—John, Thomas, Richard, Maurice, Edmund, William, Patrick and Laurence (brothers); Sister Mary of the Angels, Southampton; Mrs. W. Terry, Ardagh; Mrs. Thomas Nugent, Ballykilimurray, and Mrs. Michael Ronayne, Coolcorrac (sisters); Mrs. Wm. Condon, N.T., Dungarvan, and Mrs. Edm. Condon, Knockaun (sisters-in-law); Mr. Walter Terry, Mr. Thomas Nugent, and Mr. Michael Ronayne (brothers-in-law).

Space does not permit us to give the names of the many other relatives present, while it would be impossible to give a list of the general public who attended the obsequies.

The family were the recipients of numerous messages of sympathy in their bereavement.

CORRESPONDENCE.

To the Editor "Dungarvan Observer":

Dear Sir—While standing on the Quay some few days ago with a visitor, with a beautifully high tide at the time we were chatting over the shortage of water in the town, and the question of a supply for flushing sewers, etc., he said to me, "It seems very strange to have your sewers in such bad shape, seeing that you have such a plentiful supply of water so close at hand." I asked him how he proposed using that water for flushing the sewers and this was his answer, "Erect a storage tank at a high level at the upper end of the town and draw the water from here or from some nearer point." I said that would be expensive, but he said, "I will pay in the end." I would thank you if you put these suggestions before your readers, as I would like to see the matter taken up and suggestions made by some one who understands. He also mentioned the washing of the streets.

Trusting that I am not asking too much of your valuable space.

"INTERESTED."

LISMORE NOTES

SUCCESS AGAIN.

We are proud to say that James Foley, Main Street, Lismore, added further lustre to his already well-known and widespread reputation at Cove Junction Sports, held on Sunday last. Competing against the cream of Eire's cyclists, this young athlete gave a wonderful display of his skill and prowess by bagging the half mile and three miles cycle events. Mr. Foley can be justly proud of his long list of triumphs on the cycling track, and he is able to "hold his own" with all the highlights of the game. His friends and admirers congratulate him and wish him every success in the future.

SOLVE THIS PROBLEM.

All the local Gaels are asking the question, "Who'll win on Sunday next, Sept. 8th?" This question will be decided at the Gaelic Field, Cappoquin, where the Lismore junior hurling fifteen will turn out against Fourmilewater, in the Western divisional final. This should prove to be the match of the season, as both these teams have trained hard and earnestly for this championship clash. Fourmilewater are a strong determined bunch who believe in hard and fast hitting, while speed, coupled with skilful tactics, is Lismore's forte. Though the final is purely a matter of surmise and speculation, yet we think that Joe Duggan and his boys will grasp the laurels, thus bringing honour to themselves and the town.

SPORTS.

Everything is being put in readiness for the forthcoming novice sports to be held in Lismore on Sept. 15th next. All former meetings run by the Lismore G.A.A. Club have always been a tremendous success, and no doubt will be spared to make this year's fixture better and brighter than ever. A varied and extensive programme has been arranged, including ten events—100 yards, 220 yards, 440 yards, 880 yards, 1 mile cycle, 3 miles cycle, 5 miles cycle (for championship of Waterford), 56 lbs. throw, discus throwing for county championship, 100 yards for schoolboys under sixteen years, and hurling puck. The two county championship events—5 miles cycle and discus—should add spice and novelty to the programme. All the well-known local athletes will attend and, granted fine weather, a great afternoon's sport is in store for all.

Youghal Local Security Force Dance.

Successful Event.

Although Saturday night dances have not been very popular in the locality in recent years, approximately 150 couples attended the first dance of the Local Security Force at the Strand Palace Ballroom on last Saturday night.

Dancing commenced at 10.30 p.m., and continued until 3.0 a.m. The spacious floor, which was in excellent condition, was so densely packed at times that dancing was practically impossible and all one could do was to move with one's partner through the seating through in a series of collisions, to the lilting music of P. J. O'Leary's resident band.

The electric fans which were all in action could not hope to compete with the heat-wave which has been in the locality for some days, and the atmosphere was naturally on the heated side. However, everyone was in a happy mood and obviously out to get as much enjoyment as possible. "The more the merrier" seemed to be the accepted standard and the night was voted one of the best this year.

The following members of the Local Security Force Committee were responsible for the arrangements:—Messrs. Seamus O'Mahony, N.T., Group Leader; Jack Daly, B.E., Assistant Group Leader; James Ahern; Sean Bermingham, N.T.; E. Murphy, Jack Webster, Jack Treacy, Jack Twomey, Alf, Chapple, Michael Bransfield, T. Casey, N.T., and Digby Murphy.

Messrs. Jack Treacy, Jack Twomey and Digby Murphy acted as Joint M.C.s, and Messrs. Alf, Chapple, Michael Bransfield, and Sean Bermingham acted as floor stewards.

Persons desiring to leave the Hall during the dance were supplied with passes and it was announced that unless such passes were produced on returning, the persons concerned would not be re-admitted. This plan prevented many gate-crashers gaining admittance. Mr. Denis Daly had charge of this arrangement.

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YOUGHAL COURT

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UNDEFENDED CIVIL BILLS.

Mr. J. N. R. McNamara, solicitor, appeared for other solicitors and the plaintiffs in a number of undefended civil bills, in which decrees or adjournments were granted.

A YOUTHFUL KLEPTOMANIAC.

At the Children's Court, a boy aged ten years was charged with that he did at the Mall, Youghal, on 25th August, broke and entered a house, stealing therefrom £3 12s. 4d., a gold wristlet watch value £3 10s., and a purse value 1/6, the property of Mrs. Heahy; that on 14th August he broke into the lockup shop of Mrs. Fleming; and stole biscuits, etc., value 2/-, and on 23rd August he broke into the same shop and stole cash, etc., value 3/-; that at Knockaverry on 15th July he broke into the shop of Miss C. Healy and stole cash and cigarettes value 4/-; that at Knockaverry on 28th July he stole a pair of spectacles value £3 3s. and razor, etc. value 12/6, the property of Mr. F. Owens, Mullingar; that at the Pacific Hotel on 28th July he stole a pair of spectacles value 1/6, the property of Miss Harley, Blackrock, Dublin; that at Claycastle, Youghal, on 31st July he stole a lady's wristlet watch value 30/-, the property of Miss C. Kennedy, Youghal.

Supt. Kelly, Middleton, prosecuting, said the total value involved was £12 16s. 3d., of which £5 2s. 9d. had not been recovered.

Sergeant Lupton said that the accused had admitted the charges and handed in a signed statement giving details of his activities. He had been before the Court previously on similar offences. A local clergyman described him as a kleptomaniac.

In the statement handed in, accused said he resided with his parents at Youghal. He was in fourth class at school. On Sunday, 25th August he climbed a tree on the Mall and got into a house through a top window. From the room he looked at a powder thing on a dressing table. He opened a drawer and found two purses in it. He got £3 10s. in notes in one purse

and 2/4 in the other. He took the money and threw the purse through the window. He got a watch in the same drawer and put it in his pocket. He got out through the window again and through a yard. He had the money and watch and went home for his tea. Afterwards he met another and told him he took the money and the watch. He took another to the pictures. He gave the money to the pictures and sent him to hide it on the Mall 5/2 and the morning they went for the money they were caught and it was taken from them. He threw the watch away near a tree on the Mall. On last Saturday he went into Fleming's shop while the girl was at her dinner and took 2/- and biscuits. He spent the money on sweets and ice cream. He went into Miss Healy's shop at the Lighthouse three times, getting in through the back window. On the last time he took 4/- and cigarettes. He took 4/- from clothes on the Strand during the summer, and he took a watch out of a pocket. The owner was bathing at the time. He threw the watch over the wall near the Palace. He found a flash lamp at Claycastle and took three spanners out of a motor car.

In a further statement dated 29th July, accused said he left home at 7.30 last night (Sunday). He went to Peck's and saw a tent which he entered and took 3 razors, 5 razor blades and a pair of glasses. He broke the glasses and threw them over the sea wall.

Being under 12, the accused was committed to an industrial school.

MAN FINED £15,000.

A fine of £15,000 was imposed at Bow St., London on Wednesday, on Leon Pandeli Argenti (58), of Guildford, a former director of a merchant bank, the name of which was not disclosed.

He was summoned for having failed to offer for sale to the British Treasury two gold bars worth £2,400,000, sovereigns worth £800 and 2,000 Swiss francs.

Argenti was said to be a British subject of Greek extraction.

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KILROSSANTY v. STRADBALLY

CARRICKSHOCK v. DUNGARVAN.

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DUNGARVAN URBAN COUNCIL

Mr. Michael Morrissey, T.D. (Chairman) presided at the weekly meeting of above on Friday last. Also present were Messrs. T. McCarthy (Vice-chairman), P. O'Dwyer, J. Dahill, J. J. Crotty, and P. Quinn.

PAYSHEET.
A paysheet for £21 19s. 6d was presented and passed.

REPAIRS.
Mr. McCarthy questioned the Borough Surveyor regarding the delay in having repairs carried out to one particular house. This house was one of the first in and should be done.

The Borough Surveyor said that as applications for repairs came in they were being bulked with a view to having a contract taken.

Mr. McCarthy said in that case the tenant might have to wait six months. The Chairman said he presumed Mr. Brady was not doing the repairs as they came in, but attending to the more urgent cases.

Mr. Brady—Yes.
Mr. McCarthy—The case to which I have referred is an urgent one.

REPAIRS.
A number of tenants wrote asking for repairs. All were referred to the Borough Surveyor for report.

Mr. Brady, in a long report, submitted a list of houses requiring repairs. The report also stated that repairs are being carried out for the following tenants, viz. John Hayes, Abbeyside; James McEvoy, do.; G. McGowan, do.; D. Hurley, St. Garvan's Terrace; P. Creed, do.; R. McGrath, do.; Mrs. Whelan, Sheares Street.

Water.—The report stated that stream at Glendine is keeping up, so far. As instructed, the meter reading is being taken from the period that the water is shut off at night.

The sand in the filter at Kildangan has not been replaced for years. He is getting tenders for a supply of sand to be delivered at waterworks and will submit same for the Council's consideration at next meeting.

The additional supply at Kildangan proved better than expected, and the level of the reservoir has risen appreciably. The report was "Noted."

SPECIAL WATER CHARGE.
A resident from the upper portion of the town wrote enclosing rates, but stated that she regretted she could not see her way to pay the special water charge, as she is paying to have water drawn for the hot water system in the house, so as to keep the pipes from bursting. She thought the public water rate of 6d. in the £ should cover the kind of service she is getting.

The letter was marked "Refused."
Mr. Dahill—Hand a copy of that letter to Messrs. Delap and Waller.

Mr. McCarthy—There is no doubt that the people at the upper end of the town have reason to complain.

Mr. O'Dwyer—One particular street in Loughmore did not get one drop of water—not even a cupful—within five weeks.

Chairman—It is bad, but the people in some other towns are much worse off.

Mr. Crotty—In Kilkenny there is a serious shortage, but in Kilkenny they are just about to start a new scheme, whereas here we have a completed one.

Mr. McCarthy—But the strange thing about the water is that the Council are blamed for the water supply.

Mr. Quinn—When you enter the Council you must be prepared to stand criticism.

Mr. McCarthy referred to a wire recently sent by another body to the Department on the question of the water supply, and said there are many hints going around that the Council are to blame. These come from very responsible people—people who should know better.

Mr. Crotty—Mr. McCarthy is quite right. Chairman—If such people followed the history of the scheme, they would know that the Council is not to blame.

Mr. McCarthy—It is over five weeks since there was a drop of water in Thomas Terrace or the Buttery. He was in the Burgery last week and Mr. Keating's house you could fill a churn of water in two minutes, while there was no water at Brennock's. The fault is blame. These come from very responsible people—people who should know better.

Mr. Crotty—That may be accounted for by the water being shut off from some other point.

Mr. Walsh, water inspector—There is an explanation of Mr. McCarthy's statement. The supply to Brennock's is off the Kildangan supply.

Chairman—We are handling a very delicate situation, and I would ask members to make no statement without giving it full consideration.

Mr. Crotty—There is a perfect explanation—two different supplies.

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Meroy, Stradbally, wrote on behalf of the Community thanking the Council for resolution of sympathy passed on the death of Sister Mary Agatha.

APPEAL FOR FUNDS BY CHAIRMAN.
Replies From Bands.

The following letter was read:—
"To the Chairman and members of the Urban District Council. Dear Sirs,—In response to your appeal at the last meeting of the Urban Council, for aid for the funds of the Children's Health Committee, for the provision of free meals for the poor of Dungarvan during the coming winter months, we gladly offer the services of our full band free of all cost, to help this worthy object. Sincerely yours, William Burke, for the Dungarvan Accordion Band."

Chairman—The members of the Shamrock Dance Band also called on me today and said their band would also be at the disposal of the Committee.

Mr. McCarthy—That's very good. Chairman—Seeing that the discussion we had on the last night has brought a response from the bands, as we have got so far, I would make another appeal to some spirited people to come forward and form a committee to run some dances in aid of the funds. As the members know, the Children's Health Committee will be down about £200, and if some good spirited people would take it on themselves to come forward and run some dances their action would be appreciated by the Council and the Committee.

It was decided to offer the Council's thanks to both bands.

APPLICATIONS FOR HALL.

The Dungarvan Accordion Dance Band applied for the use of the Hall on Friday, September 6th, and Sunday, September 8th for usual practice dances.

The Shamrock Band applied for 4th and 6th September for a similar purpose.

Mr. McCarthy—Give them alternate nights or weeks.

The Chairman said he thought the two bands should come to an agreement between themselves. The Accordion Band want the Hall on Friday and Sunday, and the Shamrock Band on Wednesday and Friday.

Mr. McCarthy—Let them have every second Sunday night.

The Hall was granted.

EMPLOYMENT SCHEME.

A letter from the Department of Local Government and Public Health stated that the Minister is prepared to approve of the proposal of the Council to carry out an employment scheme at a cost of £500, his approval being undertaken on condition that arrangements are made for the supervision thereof by the Council's own staff.

Chairman—The Council's own staff is in connection with the Marsh.

Replying to Mr. Quinn, the Chairman said the piping of the drain from the railway is omitted from the scheme owing to the cost of the pipe.

The Borough Surveyor was appointed to supervise the scheme.

Mr. Dahill asked if the trunking of the Marsh will throw the water back into the fields further up. If that happens we will have people in here looking for compensation every few weeks.

THE WATER SCHEME.

The following is a copy of a letter sent by the Council's solicitor (Mr. Williams) to Messrs. Delap & Waller:—

"I attended a meeting of the Urban Council last night, when your recent letters and also a letter from the Local Government Board were considered. All the members of the Council were most reluctant to adopt your suggestion to open a suspense account, because they felt that it was most unfair to the ratepayers of the town to ask them to incur further expenditure to ascertain the cause of defects in the works for which they are in no way responsible, and which, in their view, should never have occurred. After a lengthy discussion, however, the Urban Council resolved that a suspense account be opened provided that the following conditions are complied with: Firstly, you will submit to the Local Government Department and the Council a detailed estimate of the cost of the exploratory works; secondly, you will undertake that such exploratory works will definitely bring to light the causes of the present defects in the waterworks; and, thirdly, such exploratory works to be carried out in the presence of and under the supervision of an engineer from the Local Government Department. The Town Clerk is to-day sending a copy of this letter to the Local Government Department, and the Council have instructed me to ask you to get in touch with the Department at the earliest possible moment so that the necessary exploratory work may be started without any delay."

Chairman—These are the instructions issued to the engineers, and, referring back to what Mr. McCarthy said earlier, about the Council being blamed, this will show that the Council could not be blamed for the failure of the scheme. He would ask the press to take a copy of the letter.

ST. BRIGID'S WELL.

Mr. T. Walsh, water inspector, reported as follows:—

"I beg to report that I inspected the Brewery Well with Mr. Brady, B.E., and we subsequently had an interview with Mr. P. Power and informed him that complaints had been made to members of the Urban District Council that he had carried out some work in connection with the well that prevented the users of the water from getting their usual supply. Mr. Power stated he had carried out improvements to the wall surrounding the well and tapped the western side of it in order to enable him to carry out the necessary work. He also stated that the analysis of the water was not satisfactory and that he was obliged to let the well overflow for a considerable time, after which he got a satisfactory analysis. At present the well is slightly lower than the pipe conveying the water from it to where the users are supplied, and he suggests that the Council

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lower the pipe about 2 inches, when there will be ample water for all persons requiring it."

Mr. O'Dwyer—I am the member who brought this matter up. The fact that the pipe is higher proves that the people could not get the water. What was the need of the water being left into the drain? He would ask that this pipe be taken out and the wall built as formerly, and then the people will have water.

Mr. Walsh, water inspector, said he had never any dealing with this well only to take samples of the water. Mr. Brady and himself had a look into the well.

Mr. O'Dwyer—For 50 or 60 years back there was plenty of water for the public.

Chairman—What I want to know is, is there some pipe at this well now that was never there before?

Mr. Walsh, water inspector, was understood to say there was and that Mr. Power's explanation was that the walls of the well were leaking.

An order was made requesting Mr. Power to have the well restored to its original condition.

LOCAL LOANS FUND—DEAR MONEY.
Aristing out of the Council's proposal that the sum of £4,300 required to complete the scheme of 139 houses should be borrowed from the local loans fund, the Ministry wrote requesting the Council to complete and return the application form for sanction, which was forwarded on the 14th inst. The Minister for Finance will then be approached with a view to his approval of the supplemental loan from the local loans fund. The letter stated that the rate of interest on the original loan of £50,000 was 4 1/2 per cent. per annum. The supplemental loan, or any instalment thereof, if advanced, will bear interest at the general rate in force under section 12 of the Local Loans Act. The prevailing rate of interest on loans from the local loans fund is 5 1/2 per cent.

Mr. Quinn—it is very dear money.
Mr. Crotty—it is bad.

DEMOLITION ORDER.
Estate of Mrs. Lumbly and Miss Carbery. The following letter was read from Mr. J. A. Cartwright, agent:—

"Referring to the houses situated in Davis Street, in the occupation of Greany, Hayes and Coleman, and which have been condemned, I hereby guarantee that when these houses have been vacated by the above-named tenants, they will not be again relet for human habitation, nor will they be used as stables or piggeries. It is my intention to convert the house occupied by Greany into a garage, and the other two into stores, and they will be so converted within three months after the tenants leave."

The letter was marked "Noted," as was also a letter in connection with the house at Sexton Street, Abbeyside, recently vacated by James Berezford, which is also to be converted into a garage by the landlord.

Chairman—I take it these letters are all right.

Mr. McCarthy said he thought that Dr. Casey, in his report, did not condemn these houses, but said they were too small for the families living in them.

Mr. O'Dwyer—There was a second report condemning the houses.

GRANTS UNDER THE HOUSING AND LABOURERS ACT.

A letter from the Department regarding applications made to the Council for the provisional allocation of grants under the above, stated that it will be necessary for the Council to serve notice on the person at present having control of the houses in respect of which application is made, for a grant. Before the notice is served, reports from the Borough Surveyor and Medical Officer indicating in what respects the houses are unfit for human habitation should be forwarded to the Department.

The letter added that the person having control of the house is the person for the time being receiving the rack rent of the premises, whether on his own account or as agent or trustee for any other person. Rack rent is defined as a rent which is not less than two-thirds of the full net annual value of the property out of which the rent arises, as ascertained under the Acts relating to valuation of rateable property.

This letter was referred to the Borough Surveyor and Medical Officer to complete the necessary certificates.

FIRE BRIGADES ACT, 1940.

The following letter was read from the Minister for Local Government and Public Health:—

"I am directed by the Minister to refer to letters to sanitary authorities under the

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above Act, and to state that the matter should be treated as one of urgency. The Minister is anxious that as much co-operation as possible should exist between adjoining sanitary authorities, and recommends that consultations between such adjoining authorities should be arranged in connection with the formation of fire-fighting proposals where this has not already been done.

Chairman—We will refer this to the Clerk, to get in touch with Commissioner Moynihan. It was his view that a conference should be arranged with the other local authorities regarding the purchase of fire-fighting appliances.

The Council approved of the Chairman's suggestion.

KILMACKTHOMAS NOTES.

SYMPATHY.
Ballylone Cumann, Fianna Fail, voted sympathy with the relatives of the victims of the Campile bombing.

THRIVING PORTLAW INDUSTRY.
In the latest issue of the "Sunday Independent," its Financial Correspondent has a par under the caption *Dividend Doubled*, which reads: "A pleasing feature of the week was the excellent report of Irish Tanners, Ltd. With a big increase in net profits, the Ord. dividend is doubled at 10 p.c. This is excellent work, and the outlook is viewed with confidence. The Ord. shares have hardened to 8 1/4 cum. div., and at this price they look quite attractive if one is prepared to look them away."

R.I.P.
Fortified by the rites of the Holy Catholic Church, to which he was always devotedly attached, Mr. Thomas Hannigan, Bonmahon, passed away into his eternal reward on Thursday of last week after an illness of somewhat protracted duration and at an advanced age, and the sad event removes one of the best-known inhabitants of the once-famous copper-mining village. A grand old type of his generation, his un-failing generosity and good humour made him a general favourite of the whole wide community, and sincere sympathy is extended to his sorrowing wife and family in their bereavement and loss. The funeral to Stradbally Catholic Churchyard last week-end was large and representative. May he rest in peace.

BLACKBERRIES.
The season this year is remarkable for its abundant crop, and provides a golden opportunity for both young and old to reap a remunerative profit.

THE HEAVY HARVEST.
The calm, dry and sunny weather was a great help to save the heavy harvest, which is now nearly completed in the heart of the fair and fertile Deise country, when threshing operations continue in full swing, and the return of the grain is considered a record on recent years.

DEVOTIONS FOR PEACE.
The special devotions for peace continue to be well attended at each parish church in Mid Waterford.

CONDOLENCE.
A great wave of public sympathy goes out to Messrs. James Flahavan, Kilnagran, Kilmackthomas, and Thomas G. Flahavan, Glen House, Portlao, on the death of an aunt of theirs (on the paternal side), which sad event happened during the week.

FIDDOWN BRIDGE.
The work of painting this structure is fast nearing completion and will show a bright improvement when finished, some years having elapsed since last renovated. The job is being done by a number of railwaymen, under the supervision of Mr. Ed. Walsh, Ballinacree, Mooncoin.

SEA LUBE.
Clones, Stradbally and Bonmahon are a trio of charming Waterfordian seaside-resorts which are still being favoured by numbers of day-trippers. A pleasure note that Clones's capitol appointed Ocean View Hotel had a record number of "gaybricks" this year. The catering and attendance at this hotel make it a real "home from home."

ANENT AN APPOINTMENT.
Prominent in Deise gaelic circles is Mr. Michael J. Creagh, N.T., Rathgormack, whom we warmly congratulate on his having been appointed to the principalship of the Ballyduff-Kilmeaden Boys' National School, in succession to the late lamented Mr. A. J. Madors. Some years ago Mr. Creagh was assistant at Ballyduff N.S., and it was from there that he was promoted to the principalship at Rathgormack. Young and old of the Barony of Upper Third regret his departure from amongst them.

LOCAL TRACTOR DRIVER INJURED.
John Lannon tractor driver in the employ of Mr. T. Rowe, tractor-threshing-out-proprietor, Ballyjinch, Kilmackthomas, had a nasty mishap in the neighbourhood of the Burgery, Dungarvan, about 4 o'clock on Thursday evening of last week. He was starting up the tractor when the engine back-fired, causing a revolution of the starting handle which broke his right arm at the wrist. He was subsequently taken to Bonmahon, where the local M.O., Dr. F. O'Connell, set the broken limb and confined it in splints. The injured man, who is a son of Mrs. Bridget Lannon, Seafield, Bonmahon, and the late Mr. Maurice Lannon, do., and a brother of Mr. Paddy Lannon, of Griffin and Lannon's garage, Kilmackthomas, is exceedingly well-liked throughout these parts and everybody felt sorry for him on his unfortunate knock-out. Incidentally, we are glad to hear that his good mother is now on the high road to complete recovery from her recent indisposition.

GAEILIC GARNERINGS.
Last Sunday was a spirit-stirring day at the National Stadium, where peerless Central Council secretary, Paddy O'Keefe and his staff had everything ship-shape. Mick Mackey was the star man of the major mix, and it is with feelings of pardonable pride we recall that John Keene didn't give a ball to Mick in the Waterford-Limerick Munster Championships clashes in Kilmacorney and Clonmel this year. The Deise captain is undoubtedly the best back in the game to-day.

Last Sunday's big ashen-blade bout was the 40th All-Ireland seen by jovial Jerry Dee, of Kilmac' who motored to the metropolis in company with John Dunne, Paddy Murphy, Davy Power, Johnny McGrath and Mark Kieley. On the return journey the veteran fan and his pals had a great sing-song at Kilkcullen, Co. Kildare, where, with Sergt. Cullen and party of the Curragh they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Coleman (licensed vintner), who treated them to a swell supper. Have it that the merry Mahon Bridge bus company thoroughly enjoyed the spin "Sonny" Kirwan gave them to Dublin and back.

CROUGHAUN RANGERS WIN.
Contrary to expectations, the Croughaun Rangers, though without the services of some of their regular players, defeated

Dunhill in their replay (Eastern Divisional Junior hurling semi-final), which was decided at Portlao on Sunday last before a big crowd of spectators. It was a hard game, no quarter being asked for or given by either side, and the referee (Jim Ware) handled his difficult job right admirably and well. When the long whistle went the register read:—Croughaun Rangers, 3-3; Dunhill, 1-5. M. Whelan, M. Power, T. Coleman and B. Power scored for the winners, for whom M. Downey (captain and goalie) gave a brilliant account of himself. The Rangers next meet Erin's Own in the Divisional Ultimate.

NEWTOWN AND RATHGORMACK DRAW.
In their League tie, also decided at Portlao last Sunday, the junior football fifteens of Newtown and Rathgormack wound up with honours easy.

STRADBALLY v. KILROSSANTY.
The coming Kilrossanty-Stradbally set-off for this year's County senior football championship forms the chief topic of conversation on all sides to-day, and speculation is rife as to which side will "do the do." Both teams are training hard and neither will hear of defeat. The encounter is sure to entice a monster attendance at the Fraher Field—splendid scene of many a thrilling test. We hope to have some details about the probable line-outs in the next number.

DON'T MISS THIS!
A topping night's amusement is in store for all patrons of the grand and gala Cindersella dance coming off in the Pike Hall to-morrow (Sunday) night. For full particulars see advt. elsewhere on this copy.

L.S.F. ACTIVITY.
The Kilmackthomas and Kilrossanty A Groups participated in manoeuvres, under military control, at Currahaha West on Wednesday evening. The officers of the exercises greatly appreciated the enthusiasm and efficiency displayed by the volunteers engaged.

DEATH OF A NONAGENARIAN.
Mrs. Mary Dee (nee Brown), widow, Comeragh, Kilrossanty, died at her residence on Wednesday, after a comparatively short illness and at the venerable age of 93 years. Deceased, who was a fluent Irish speaker, was in possession of her full faculties up to the end. A charmingly mannered, kind-hearted lady, she was held in the highest esteem by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance; the family-circle have the sympathy of all in their bereavement. A cortege of immense proportions accompanied the removal of the remains on Thursday evening to St. Brigid's Parish Church, Kilrossanty, where they were received by the reverend local Pastor, Father John Crotty, P.P., who recited the prayers for the dead. Next morning Requiem Masses for the eternal welfare of her soul were celebrated and the burial subsequently took place in the adjacent old cemetery, in the presence of many mourners and sympathisers. Father Crotty officiated at the graveside. The Light of Heaven to the gentle soul departed.

IN MEMORIAM.
An anniversary High Mass for the soul of the late Miss Stack, of Briaque, Kilrossanty, was offered up in St. Brigid's Parish Church, do., on Wednesday morning, in the presence of a large congregation, including several relatives of the deceased lady. Rev. W. Meehan, C.C., Kilrossanty, was celebrant of the Mass, and the priests assisting in the choir were: Very Rev. J. Crotty, P.P., do.; Very Rev. E. English, P.P., Stradbally; Rev. P. F. Walsh, C.C., do., and Rev. J. Lawn, C.C., do.—(R.I.P.).

ANOTHER DEATH.
Mrs. Kate Walsh (nee Flahavan), who died on Monday at the residence of her daughter, Spa Lodge, Ballyvaughan, Co. Clare, was relict of the late Mr. Stanislaus Walsh, Carrigastle, Kilmackthomas, and aunt of Mr. James Flahavan and the Misses Flahavan, Kilnagran, Kilmackthomas, and Mr. T. G. Flahavan, Glen House, Portlao, and she had resided at Carrigastle up to three years ago. Her remains were brought by rail to Fiddown railway station on Tuesday evening and conveyed by hearse from there to the Parish Church, Portlao. After Office and High Mass on Wednesday, the burial took place in the family vault in the adjoining cemetery, in the presence of innumerable relatives, friends and sympathisers.—Peace to her soul.

DID YOU HEAR?
That void of vanity is the velvety-voiced Nire Vale virgin who felt the first twinge of rheumatism in her father's garden at the heel of yester-week?

That the Metal Man never met Dr. Gayda, who, writing in the "Vocs d'Italia" on Sunday last, stated: "The war may be expected to last another two years?"

That cauliflower seed and winter lettuces were sown within the week by Saul Slattery, who selected the warmest sheltered position in his plot for both?

That the only lady of the population of Portlao and puritans who doesn't believe in dreams is the one who married one?

That the modern Kilmeaden maiden hasn't nearly read all the books she ought not to read?

That the hand that rocks the cradle still rules the roost in the Rathgormack region?

That the cause of all the restlessness now noticeable in Kilrossanty and in Stradbally is football fever and not constipation?

That Lizzie Lozenger has a goose to pluck with Lazarus Lewis?

That Annetown Anne thinks that there are no termites within the confines of Fenor?

That, in Kilrossanty, the humble leaves were once used to make a hair dye, a cattle medicine, and a mouth wash which was said to act as a preservative of the teeth?

That Maid of Mothel is not at home this week?

ADVERTISEMENTS. PREPAID

WANTED

WANTED, Cook-General for Dentist's house. Must be fond of children; n.a. se kept. Send references. Clonmel. Box No. 807, "Observer" office.

WANTED, a limited quantity of Honey (both squares and run honey). Top prices given for First Quality. A postcard will bring our Van for collection.—Tipperary Products, Ltd., Castle Grace, Clogheen.

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FOR SALE, 14 Tons of clean Oaten Straw and 10 Tons of Wheaten Straw. Apply Patrick Moloney, Lisfennel, Dungarvan.

FOR SALE—Single Barrel Shot Gun, almost new. Apply Jas Dahill, Colligan, Dungarvan.

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FOR SALE, Baby Ford Car, perfect condition; insured to May, 1941. Apply for particulars to 602, "Observer" office.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE—The lands of Knockanee and Castlequarrier are strictly preserved. Trespassers found thereon after publication of this notice will be prosecuted. Edward Beresford. 28-8-40.

NOTICE—Any person hunting, coursing, trapping snarling or ferretting rabbits or other game on the Clonconrairie Estate will be rigorously prosecuted. Miss Joan Nugent. 28-8-40.

NOTICE—The lands of Killineen in my possession are strictly preserved. Trespassers will be prosecuted. James Power. 30-8-40.

NOTICE—The lands of Boherard and Middlequarrier, Killosera, in my possession are strictly preserved, and poisoned owing to the destruction of fences. J. Foley, Killosera. 29-8-40.

NOTICE—Owing to the destruction of crops and fences, the Lands of Ballymacnaghe and Kildangan, in my possession, are strictly preserved. Persons found in pursuit of game, rabbits, etc., will be prosecuted.—John Flynn. 30/8/1940.

NOTICE—The Lands of Headboro' Quay are strictly preserved. Trespassers will be prosecuted. E. T. Murphy.

NOTICE—The lands of Ballygully (east and west), the property of Thos. Sullivan, are strictly preserved. Trespassers thereon will be prosecuted without further notice.

NOTICE—The lands and Mountain of Lisgriffin and Mountstuart, the property of Michael O'Brien are strictly preserved. Trespassers will be prosecuted.

NOTICE—The lands of Clonkerdan the property of J. Twomey are strictly preserved. Anyone found trespassing will be prosecuted.

NOTICE—The lands of Killineen in our possession are strictly preserved and poisoned. Trespassers will be prosecuted. Thomas Meany, Thomas Cullinan. 21/8/40.

NOTICE—The lands of Shanbilly in my possession are strictly preserved. Trespassers found thereon after publication of this notice will be prosecuted. Thomas Power. 23/8/40.

NOTICE—Owing to the destruction of fences, the Lands of Lackendarra and Eagle Hill, in my possession, are strictly preserved. Persons found in pursuit of game, rabbits, etc., will be prosecuted.—Edmond P. Cullinan. 6/9/1940.

NOTICE—The Lands of Reanadownpau are strictly preserved. Trespassers found thereon will be prosecuted without further notice.—Reps. Thomas Walsh. 6/9/1940.

NOTICE—The Lands the property of Mrs. Mary A. McGrath, Garrahillish, Kilmacthomas, are strictly preserved, owing to the destruction of fences and crops. Anyone found trespassing thereon after the publication of this notice will be prosecuted. 6/9/1940.

NOTICE—The Lands of Kereen and Ballygambon, in my possession, are strictly preserved. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Thomas Ahearn. 6/9/1940.

LOST in Dungarvan or vicinity, Flying Corps Badge, Brooch. Reward given if returned to "Observer" office.

NOTICE—Owing to the destruction of fences, the Lands in my possession at Tinalra are strictly preserved. Anyone found thereon will be prosecuted.—Patrick Lonergan. 6/9/1940.

NOTICE—The Lands of Deelish and Ballintour are strictly preserved owing to destruction of fences and crops.—William Beresford. 6/9/1940.

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COUNTY OF WATERFORD. DATES FIXED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF WATERFORD FOR HOLDING OF

Quarterly Meetings OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL. FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st MAY, 1941.

Last day for lodging applications: Date of second meeting, Saturday, 12th October, 1940; Date of third meeting, Saturday, 18th January, 1941; Date of fourth meeting, Saturday, 12th April, 1941.

County Council Quarterly Meeting: Date of first meeting, Tuesday, 23rd July, 1940; Date of second meeting, Tuesday, 12th November, 1940; Date of third meeting, Tuesday, 18th February, 1941; Date of fourth meeting, Tuesday, 13th May, 1941.

J. H. O'SULLIVAN, Secretary to County Council, County Secretary's Office, Dungarvan, 25th June, 1940.

Corporé Dubul-Cáirné Comrae Póipéiláise. TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES REQUIRED.

THE Waterford County Board of Public Assistance will, at their meeting to be held at the Courthouse, Dungarvan, on Wednesday, the 18th September, 1940, consider tenders for the supply of provisions to Lismore District Hospital for the half-year ending the 31st March, 1941.

Tenders on the prescribed form containing the names of two solvent sureties who are willing to join the person tendering in a Bond for the due performance of the Contract must be sent by post addressed to the Secretary, County Board of Public Assistance, County Home, Dungarvan, and must reach my office not later than 12 o'clock (noon) on the 18th September 1940.

Further particulars can be obtained on application to: Mícael Ó Flann, Runaidhe. Oifig an Runaidhe, Ánúr a' Comrae, i nOinínárbán, 3adh Meadhon Shoghmbhur, 1940.

COUNTY HOME AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DUNGARVAN. SUPPLIES WANTED.

THE Committee for the above will, at their Meeting to be held on Wednesday, the 11th September, 1940, at the County Home, Dungarvan, consider Tenders for the supply of the following: For One Month, from the 11th September to 10th October, 1940: Hen Eggs and Irish Cured Bacon.

For Three Months ending 31st Dec., 1940: Irish bred Beef in Shoulders and in Rounds, Irish bred Mutton in Quarters, Irish Creamery Butter.

For Six Months ending 31st March, 1941: Best White and Brown Breads.

Tenders (which must be sent by post) on a prescribed Form, containing the names of two solvent Sureties who are willing to join the person tendering, for the due performance of the contract, must be lodged with the Secretary not later than the first post on the 11th September, 1940. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Further particulars can be obtained on application to: EDMOND KIELY, Clerk, Office: County Home, Dungarvan, 3rd Sept., 1940.

A GRAND CINDERELLA DANCE WILL BE HELD IN

THE PIKE HALL

Sunday Night, Sept. 8th. MUSIC BY MISS SHERLA KITCHENS AND HER BAND (YOUGHAL).

REFRESHMENTS CAN BE HAD ON PREMISES. ADMISSION, 1/6 (inc. tax)

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Affected with Hoose or Bunk come very serious loss to farmers. Read this from Mr. O. J. Thompson, Steward to Capt. Clavin, Whitegrove, Cork. "I found the Calf for Hoose and coughing cured splendidly. I give it to all the worst calves, and in a couple of days there was not a trace of it left."

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ONE OF BULL'S GREAT ANNUAL GAMES. NOTICE—The Lands of Ballinakil and Bohadon North in my possession, are strictly preserved. Anyone in pursuit of game and rabbits will be summoned.—L. Walsh. 6/9/1940.

THE REGAL, YOUGHAL. EACH EVENING AT 8.30 P.M. MATINEES: SUNDAY, 3.30 P.M. WEDNESDAY, 3.45 P.M.

WEEK COMMENCING SEPTEMBER 7th, 1940: Saturday, Sunday and Monday—SHIRLEY TEMPLE, CHARLES FARRELL, etc., in "JUST AROUND THE CORNER"

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ADMISSION: EVENING, 4d., 9d., 1/3; MATINEES, 4d., 9d.

DRAW FOR THE H.M.V. ALL-WAVE WIRELESS SET (In aid of Building Fund for New National School in Ring)

WILL TAKE PLACE AT Technical School, Ring, Sunday, Sept. 15th, 1940. Tickets - 3d. each.

THE BUCKEN'S LEATHER COMPANY SOCIAL CLUB. SECOND ANNUAL STAFF DANCE WILL BE HELD IN THE TOWN HALL, DUNGARVAN, Sunday, September 15th.

MUSIC BY MICK O'SHEA AND HIS BAND. M.C.: W. MORRISSEY. LIGHTING EFFECTS: M. TERRY. BAR STOCKED BY THOS. POWER & CO. DANCING 9 P.M. TO 2 A.M. Admission, 2/6 (inc. tax).

BEER for THRESHING STRANGMAN'S, 35/- per firkin.

As usual, I will be a buyer of Corn this season. EDWARD HILL, KILMACTHOMAS.

Coal! Coal! Coal! BEST QUALITY HOUSEHOLD COAL Supplied at P. CURRAN'S, QUAY, DUNGARVAN.

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DAY CLASSES HAVE REOPENED DUNGARVAN & CAPPOQUIN TECHNICAL SCHOOLS

FULL-TIME DAY COURSES, VIZ. JUNIOR COMMERCIAL COURSE, JUNIOR DOMESTIC ECONOMY, JUNIOR TECHNICAL COURSE.

Parents and Guardians should note that the School Year begins on 2nd SEPTEMBER, and not in January. Students intending to enroll should do so without delay. Attendance at Classes during the opening weeks is most important. Evening Classes open 18th September, 1940. Itinerant Classes in Domestic Economy, Woodwork and Irish will be held at Centres throughout the County. Further particulars to be obtained from the C.E.O., Scoil na gCeard, Dungarban.

A Waterford Hunt Dance WILL BE HELD IN THE NEW HALL, KILMACTHOMAS, On Wednesday, 25th September. MUSIC BY MICK O'SHEA'S BAND. DANCING 9 P.M. TO 4 A.M. Admission, 3/9 (inc. tax). Supper, 1/-.

POTATOES FOR STORING

By J. C. W. Since all the potatoes produced in this country are likely to be required before the 1941 crop is ready, as much as possible of the 1940 crop should be left in the ground to grow the maximum yield.

In those districts where the potatoes occupy a large proportion of the farm acreages, the lifting of immature main crops will be carried on throughout August and September, because not only has the market to be supplied, but it would be difficult to handle the large acreage if all lifting was deferred until October.

When to Lift. Main crop potatoes for storing should not be lifted until the haulm has died down or until all the skins have set. This can be ascertained by rubbing the tubers with the thumb. If the skin can be rubbed off, the potatoes are not ready for storing.

Many farmers who do not normally grow potatoes commercially but have this year planted several acres, are not equipped with spinner or mechanical digger. Furthermore, their acreage may not be large enough to merit the purchase of one of these machines.

Lifting can, however, be done efficiently with a potato plough, or by fitting special prongs on to the riding plough after removing the breasts. Some growers, in fact, prefer the potato plough to the spinner for lifting potatoes which are to be stored, on the plea that the plough causes less bruising. This, however, is a matter of opinion.

Arrangements for lifting must be well prepared in advance, especially where potato growing is not an established industry, and where labour may be scarce. The actual picking of the potatoes can be done quite well by women or by older boys and girls.

Where the spinner is used, each picker or pair is given a length of row to gather, one row being spun out at a time and then gathered.

If the plough is used, the implement works ahead of the pickers, as each picker is allocated to one row and gathers the tubers in that row right through the field. Thus, if eight pickers are employed, the plough must work at least eight rows ahead of the pickers. With the plough, alternate rows are first ploughed out and gathered.

In addition to the spinner, with horses and man, and the pickers, sufficient carts must be employed to collect the potatoes and take them to the clamp. Here, also, a man will be required to heap up the potatoes and cover them with straw. It is particularly important to organise the whole of the work so that no one has to stand waiting.

Arranging the layout for lifting varies according to district or individual opinion. Lifting may proceed along the whole length of the field, and in this case, the spinner returns empty.

In other cases lifting may take place in sections, a headland on which to turn the spinner being first dug out by hand. The centre row of the section is then spun out and the tubers picked up. The spinner then works along one side and back on the other.

The clamp should be made on a site suitable for winter carting, preferably on or near to the potato field. Carting the tubers to a distance at lifting time means that more carts and men are required than if the site is near the potato field.

The Best Method. In this country the most suitable and convenient method of storage is in a clamp, or, as it is called in various districts, a bog, grave or pit. The site should not be on low ground where water may lie in winter.

The tubers keep best when lifted and stored in a dry condition. In any case it is very important to allow ample ventilation to reach the clamp, particularly at first. About eight feet across the base is the maximum width and the potatoes are built up to a narrow ridge, the sides being covered with straw as the work proceeds.

Straight wheat straw is best and it is placed lengthways from the base to the ridge, so as to run off the water. It should be kept in position at first by spits of soil placed on it at intervals. Unless the nights are likely to be rather frosty, further soil should not be added for six or seven days. Even then, only a moderate coating of soil should be added, leaving narrow strips bare of soil at intervals of three yards or so to provide ventilation. These strips are filled up a few weeks later.

Further Precaution Against Frost. A strip along the ridge should also be left free of soil, but when severe frosts are likely a further coating of soil should be added, and at this time the ridge is somewhat covered. It is, however, better to leave the ridge free and to give it protection in severe weather by a thick coating of straw. Should the frost become very severe, further protection may be given by a coating of straw or manure put on all over the clamp.

OLD PREJUDICES DIE HARD. "CORN AFTER CORN" NOW CONSIDERED FEASIBLE. Few men care to follow their grandfathers' ideas blindly. Growing two crops of corn in succession was always condemned in the old days, but modern practice has shown how this doubtless well-founded notion can in some cases be refuted and a successful "corn-after-corn" crop be taken.

When corn follows corn, nitrogen and phosphates are generally the two plant foods that need replacing, but on light, chalky soils potash may be needed as well. Twenty-two bushels of soot, 1 to 1 1/2 cwt. of sulphate of ammonia, or 1 to 1 1/2 cwt. of nitro-chalk or nitrate of soda is usually sufficient for oats or barley; but what may need further top dressings in spring. Two cwt. of superphosphate should be added before final harrowing.

Where potash is needed, 1 cwt. of muriate is usually about the right amount. Land must, of course be clean of weeds, and here a sowing of 2 to 3 lb. trefoil and 8 to 10 lb. Italian ryegrass, sown in the first crop, will help to smother and at the same time will give a useful grazing for sheep, or a cut for silage. Variety of corn must also be studied and this is a question of local conditions and of using varieties that have been proved to suit them.

BOWL PLAYING. A very interesting bowling match took place on Sunday on the Knocknagappagh road. The competitors were John Murphy, Youghal, and Dan Savage, Inch. After a well fought contest, Savage was declared the victor. Next Sunday's match will take place at three o'clock. The competitors will be D. Keniry, Youghal, and J. Geaney, Tellow.

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SHORT WAVE TRANSMISSIONS
1.30-2.0 p.m. 48.47 metres; 9.45-10.30 p.m. 6190 Kcs.
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SUNDAY, 8th SEPTEMBER, 1940.
1.30-2.30 Variety.
6.30—New Recordings.
7.0—Radio Snapshots presented by Nina Boden and Larry Egan.
7.30—Nuacht na Seachtaine.
7.45—"The Travellers"—A County Antrim entertainment written by Jeanne Cooper-Foster.
8.15—An Ceol-Chumann.
8.45—"The Cross Roads Stille" presented by the Knocknabinn Dramatic Society.
9.5—Operatic Potpourri.
10.5—News.
10.20—An Ceathrar Ceoil: Irish Dance Music.
10.50—Gaelic Sports Talk—Sean O Ceallachain.
11.0—National Anthem.
MONDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER, 1940.
1.30-1.40—Stock Exchange and Gramophone.
1.40-1.45—News.
1.45-2.30—Gramophone and Variety.
6.30—Light Music.
6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements.
6.45—News.
7.0—Light Orchestra and Ballads.
7.50—Moments of Melody with Ken O'Dea and Norman O'Connell Redmond.
8.10—An Seachtain na Seachtaine (3): An Tain Bo Cualgne—Tomas O hAilín.
8.25—Leider.
8.45—"Ballet in Dublin 100 years ago": An apocryphal interview by Dáimuid Kelly.
9.0—Irish Radio Orchestra.
10.0—Nuacht (News); 10.0 Gaedhlig; 10.10 English.
10.30—Bands.
11.0—National Anthem.
TUESDAY, 10th SEPTEMBER, 1940.
1.30-1.40—Stock Exchange & Gramophone.
1.40-1.45—News.
1.45-2.30—Gramophone and Variety.
6.30—Light Music.
6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements.
6.45—News.
7.0—"Talking of Records."
7.35—"Cnoc Mhuire"—Léam O Diabhláin.
7.50—Variety.
8.20—Film Review—Michael Farrell.
8.35—Irish Gladis Orchestra.
8.50—"My Grandmother was Irish": A programme of American Ballads.
10.0—Nuacht (news); 10.0 Gaedhlig; 10.10 English.
10.30—The Glasgow Orpheus Choir conducted by Sir Hugh Robertson.
11.0—National Anthem.
WEDNESDAY, 11th SEPTEMBER, 1940.
1.30-1.40—Stock Exchange & Gramophone.
1.40-1.45—News.
1.45-2.30—Gramophone and Variety.
6.30—Light Music.
6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements.
6.45—News.
7.0—Eily Murnaghan (Soprano).
7.15—Random Records.
7.50—Ri Ra: An t-úráil—Famail cailte agus ceol.
8.10—Symphony Concert—Recorded programme.
9.5—"Information Please" compiled by Donagh MacDonagh.
9.55—"Dancing Time."
10.3—Nuacht (news); 10.0 Gaedhlig; 10.10 English.
10.30—Colmille Cellidhe Band.
11.0—National Anthem.
THURSDAY, 12th SEPTEMBER, 1940.
1.30-1.40—Stock Exchange and Gramophone.
1.40-1.45—Gramophone and Variety.
6.30—Light Music.
6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements.
6.45—News.
7.5—Variety Solists and String Ensemble.
7.40—"Val'foulaient": Entertainers.
7.55—Cluiche Cuidseachtan.
8.15—"Requests"—Recorded.
8.45—"Pasture Land": Some uses and abuses—A talk by Lieut. Col. O'Doherty.
9.0—Irish Radio Orchestra (Conductor: Capt. J. M. Doyle) with recordings by Webster Booth (Tenor).
10.0—Nuacht (News).
10.0—Gaedhlig.
10.10—English.
10.30—"Threshing with McGrath's Mill": A. Slieve Gullion (lecture) by Michael J. Murphy.
11.0—National Anthem.
FRIDAY, 13th SEPTEMBER, 1940.
1.30-1.40—Stock Exchange and Gramophone.
1.40-1.45—News.
1.45-2.30—Gramophone and Variety.
6.30—Light Music.
6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements.
6.45—News.
7.0—Seal le Wagner: Maired Ni Ghraida (le platiní ceoil).
7.30—Mrs. McCann in a hurry: A northern dialogue by Felix O'Neill.
7.45—Eileen Knowles Vocal Quartet in Musical Memories.
8.15—Friday Orchestral Hour: Irish Radio Orchestra (Conductor: Capt. J. M. Doyle) and Claude Biggs (Piano): Beethoven Concert.
9.20—Cooke Brothers and Texas Rangers in Musical Variety.
10.0—Nuacht (News).
10.0—Gaedhlig.
10.10—English.
10.30—Manx Scots and Irish Folk Songs.
11.0—National Anthem.
SATURDAY, 14th SEPTEMBER, 1940.
1.30-1.40—Gramophone.
1.40-1.45—News.
1.45-2.30—Gramophone and Variety.
6.30—Light Music.
6.40—Sports Results, Official Announcements.
6.45—News.
7.0—I read your handwriting—Penmas.
7.15—Feature Programme.

WASTE PAPER.

STATE ACTION URGED TO CONSERVE SUPPLIES.

Speaking at the annual general meeting of the Killen Paper Mills in Killen, Co. Dublin on Wednesday, Mr. J. J. Walsh, director, referring to the need for conserving waste paper, said that the attention of the Minister for Supplies should be called to the matter. It was of the utmost importance he said that these resources should be conserved. He added that in Britain and most European countries it was considered a crime to waste or destroy paper, but in this country it might be done with perfect liberty. He advocated State action in the matter.

Mr. D. McCullagh, Chairman, said that if waste paper was to be conserved it would tide the industry over the difficulty of getting raw materials from abroad.

Moving the adoption of the report, the Chairman said that last year the directors contemplated the extension of the mill and expenditure to the amount of £18,774 had already been incurred. Part of the new mill had been erected and plant had been ordered, but prevailing conditions made it advisable not to proceed with the extension until better conditions prevailed. Further extensions were being carried out in the bag manufacturing side of the business, and it was hoped to have them completed in the next few months. They were also extending the paper-making side of the business.

M. M. W. O'Reilly seconded and the report was adopted.

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THE REGIONAL COMMISSIONERS.

THEIR POWERS MORE FULLY DEFINED.

Advice on Laying in Foodstuffs. The Government have made in order under the Emergency Powers Act, 1939, entitled Emergency Powers (No. 48) Order, 1940.

Broadcasting on the 10th July last the Minister for Supplies announced that a scheme of regional organisation had been prepared to ensure that the business of Government would be carried on if a situation should arise where parts of the country might be cut off and unable to maintain contact with the Central Government as a result of invasion. The Order provides for the appointment of Regional and County Commissioners. These appointments have been made by the Minister for Supplies and have already been announced. The Regional Commissioners will be responsible for the exercise of all functions of Government, both central and local, in their respective areas, if the scheme has to be brought into operation, and wide powers are accordingly conferred on them by the Order. It is provided, however, that part of the Order which vests powers in the Commissioners will come into force in a particular region only when the Taoiseach gives a direction to that effect in relation to that region.

The Order empowers a Regional Commissioner to requisition commodities and premises, but it is provided that a suitable form of receipt will be given to enable the compensation payable to be determined subsequently. It is intended that the power to requisition should be used only in an emergency, and generally the Commissioners will not interfere with the normal life of the community, except to the extent that the conditions at any particular time will make it necessary for them to do so. There will be no indiscriminate distribution of foodstuffs or relief by Commissioners in any circumstances. It will be the duty of the Commissioner to do everything possible to alleviate any cases of serious distress that may arise, but they cannot be expected to provide for the needs of any families which might reasonably be expected to have laid in reserve supplies for their own use and are caught short through having neglected to do so.

Since their appointment, Regional & Co. Commissioners have been engaged in surveying the position in regard to supplies, etc., in their respective areas, and in making such preparations as are feasible to meet any emergency that may arise, the Government are confident that all sections of the community will realise the importance of making the best possible arrangements in advance, and that the Commissioners will receive the fullest measure of co-operation and support from all citizens, both as individuals and as members of organisations.

7.50—Scouriocht: Niall O'Boyle (Fiddle), Sean Murray (Antráin), Seamus Og MacAonghusa (Piano).
8.30—Irish Radio Orchestra (Conductor: Capt. J. M. Doyle) in light music with Hayden Wood and Eric Coates, with piano solos by Billy Mayerl (Recorder).
9.30—"Dancing Time."
10.0—Nuacht (News).
10.10—English.
10.30—Bands.
11.0—National Anthem.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

FEAST OF ST. AUGUSTINE.

The devotions conducted in the Abbey-side Parish Church, in honour of the Feast of St. Augustine, ended on Tuesday morning, when the Forty Hours Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, which commenced on Sunday after the 10.30 a.m. Mass, were concluded. Large crowds of devout worshippers visited the Church throughout Sunday and Monday. At the Holy Hour Devotions conducted by Rev. Fr. Power, C.C., on Sunday night, and again on Monday, prayers for Peace were offered. On Tuesday morning Missa Cantata was sung by Rev. Father Draper, Dungarvan, the music being beautifully rendered by the choir, under the direction of Mrs. H. Foley, organist. The sacred ceremonies concluded with Procession and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. The High Altar was beautiful for this august occasion, and reflects highly on the artistic taste of Miss B. Mulcahy, Mrs. M. M. M. and the other ladies responsible.

EXECUTINGS TO-DAY.

The following statement has been issued by the Government Information Bureau:—Following the rejection by the Supreme Court of the appeal on behalf of Patrick McGrath and Thomas Green (alias Francis Harte) from the decision of the High Court refusing an order of habeas corpus, the Government has fixed Friday, the 8th inst., for the carrying out of the sentences of death imposed by the military court on the 20th of August.

ABBESIDE PLAYERS.

The following Abbeyside players are requested to be in the Gaelic Field, Dungarvan, on Sunday next at 4 p.m. for their League match in Junior hurling with Collihan Rockies:—S. Curran, C. Coleman, Jas. Burke, A. Burke, T. Burke, M. Burke, M. Noonan, L. Mahony, M. Coleman, F. Forde, P. Brett, M. Cashman, T. Kiely, C. Power, E. Power, Jas. Power, T. McGovern, E. Daly, F. Houlihan, T. Ryan, Seamus Mulcahy, Jas. Young, J. Flynn. All are requested to have hurleys and togs.

DUNGARVAN DOG WINS AT CORK.

At the Cork Greyhound Racing Track on Monday night last Mr. M. Whelan, O'Connell St., Dungarvan, won the Inniscearra Hurdle (525 H) in 31.50 with 'Red' who is by Wily Councillor-Rope-walk Lacy. The price was 2 to 1 against.

CONGER EEL STRANDED.

When the spring tide receded from the Dungarvan harbour on Wednesday last at midday, a young man on the Quay saw a Conger eel left stranded in a shallow pool of water and succeeded in hooking it. The eel measured 5 feet from head to tail.

SO. COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIPS.

On the recommendation of the Registrar University, College, Cork, Commissioner Moyrhan has approved of Scholarships awarded by the Waterford County Council being granted to Michael A. O'Muirthille, Mount Melleray Seminary, Cappoquin, Co. Waterford; Bridget T. Coughlan, Presentation Convent, Carrick-on-Suir, and Loreto Convent, Kilkenny; and Mary A. Connolly, Loreto Convent, Kilkenny.

Michael A. O'Muirthille is a native of Ardmore. Miss Coughlan is from Ballybest, Carrick-on-Suir and Miss Connolly is also from Aughnambrone, Carrick-on-Suir. These awards have been made on the results of the Leaving Certificate Examinations, 1940.

POPULAR YOUNG FARMER INJURED.

While returning home with his horse and cart on Monday night, Mr. R. McCarthy, Ballymarket, met with a rather serious accident. Having led the horse past the sleeping van of a threshing machine, the road entrance to his home, the animal took fright and plunged backward. Rody gripped its hind legs as he stumbled over a large boulder which lay on the inside of the path and fell helplessly on the ground. The wheel of the vehicle passing over his body fractured three of his ribs. He was removed to hospital a short time afterwards where he was attended to immediately. We are glad to state that Rody is progressing favourably and will be as fit as a proverbial fiddle in a short time.

INSPECTION OF BULLS.

On Monday last an inspection of Bulls under the Department Live Stock Breeding Act was held at Shandon, Dungarvan, for bulls for the Dungarvan area. Only a few animals were on show and these were passed and earmarked by the Inspector, Mr. Costello, Clare.

A JESUIT CELTIC SCHOLAR.

With the Jesuit Fathers and scholastics at Ring Irish College this summer was Rev. Gustav Lehymacher, S.J., a native of Bonn, Germany, and a very distinguished Celtic scholar. He was a pupil under the world-famous Professor Rudolf Thurneysen in Germany. Father Lehymacher has been helping for some time past other Irish scholars who are engaged on important work connected with old and middle Irish. He speaks modern Irish quite fluently and is quite at home in speaking English, Welsh, French and Italian.

MATCH POSTPONED.

The J.F. League match fixed for Bohadon on Sunday last between Kilgobnet and Faha was postponed. On Saturday last Faha proclaimed their inability to travel. So the eagerly looked forward to game will have to await another day for decision.

DUNGARVAN SHOW DANCE COMMITTEE.

At a meeting of the above held at the Commercial Hotel on Saturday night last, Mr. J. P. Cashman presided. There was a full attendance of members. It was unanimously decided to hold a Ciderella dance on Sunday night, 13th October, to cover expenses incurred due to the abandonment of this year's Show.

TIPPERARY PRIEST'S DEATH IN CO. WICKLOW.

Very Rev. Pierce O'Donnell, P.P., Ashford, Co. Wicklow, who died at the Parochial House, Ashford, on Friday, was a native of Seskin, Kilsheelan, Co. Tipperary. He was born in 1855. He was educated at Mount Melleray and at Holy Cross College, Clonliffe, and was ordained in 1881. He ministered at Ballyman (Co. Dublin), Dunlavin, Johnstown (near Arklow) and Rathlins, and in 1911 was appointed P.P., Ashford. During the nine years he spent at Johnstown, which was the period of the Plan of Campaign and the Land League, he was one of the most prominent men on behalf of the evicted tenants in Johnstown and Coolgreeny districts.

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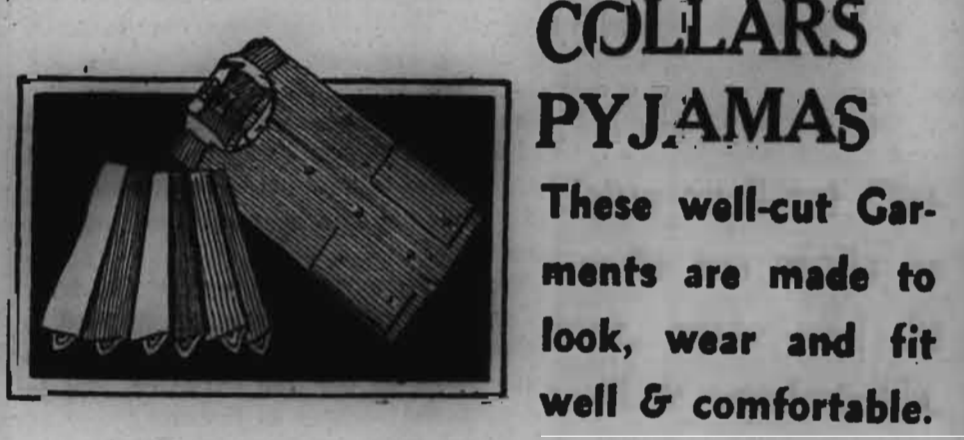
- Ladies' Interlock Vests, no sleeves, braid binding, Sale Price, 10/6, each. Ladies' Art Silk Frocks, mixed lot, nice Fouled patterns, were 8/11, Sale Price 4/11 each. Bolster Cases, lovely quality, made from pure bleached cloth, standard size, buttoned ends, marvellous value, Sale Price 1/6 each. Children's Black and Brown Canvas Shoes, 1/6 per pair. Large selection 4 ply Knitting Wools, 4/6 per oz. Navy Serge, guaranteed to keep its colour, Sale Price 3/6 per yard. Heavy Folk Weaves in a variety of attractive designs, 46 inches wide, Sale Price 1/3 per yard. Ladies' Pure Silk Hose in six new shades, usual price 2/11 per pair, Sale Price 1/11 per pair. Lovely Reversible Rugs, assorted colours, Sale Price 2/6 each. Men's Soft Felt Hats, in soft crown and set shape, snap brims, worth 6/11, Sale Price 3/11 each. Large Scrubbing Brushes, Sale Price 3/6 each.

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th.—CHESTER MORRIS, WENDY BARRIE in a thrilling Drama of the Jungle: "FIVE GAME BACK" Also DOUGLAS DUMBRILLE in the Zane Grey Western: "MYSTERIOUS RIDER" MATINEE ON SUNDAY AT 3.30 P.M.
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9th, FOR TWO NIGHTS.—JAMES STEWART, CAROLE LOMBARD, in an appealing Romantic Drama: "MADE FOR EACH OTHER" Also COMEDY—CARTOON—INTEREST FILM. MATINEE ON MONDAY AT 4 P.M.
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12th, FOR TWO NIGHTS.—ROBERT TAYLOR, MYRNA LOY, in a sparkling Comedy: "LUCKY NIGHT" Also NEWSREEL—SPORTS FILM—CARTOON, etc. MATINEE ON THURSDAY AT 4 P.M.
Balcony Seats Reserved. Telephone No. 8. ADMISSION: 4d., 8d., 1/4, 1/2. MATINEES: 3d., 4d., 8d., 1/4. The Management reserve the right to refuse admission and to alter the Programme.

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homestays in the first round of the S.H. championship. The match was fixed originally for Sunday, August 4th, but owing to Erins Own being unable to obtain travelling facilities the game had to be abandoned. The game is fixed for 4 p.m., with J. Mountain, Dungarvan H. & F. club in charge of the whistle. With both teams all out for Championship honours it will undoubtedly prove a dour struggle.

SUNDAY'S MATCHES.

At the Gaelic Field, Dungarvan on Sunday next Stradally will line out against the local junior football fifteen at 3 p.m. in their tie in the first round of the Junior Football League. Both can field strong teams and a great game should result. Dungarvan will be all out to avenge the defeat of their seniors by Stradally. Stradally is the one great obstacle for all Dungarvan football teams, time and again they have defeated the Old Boro's best with the greatest ease. They will field a useful team and should keep the old flag flying on

KILLEAGH PARISH COMMITTEE.

A meeting of above will be held at Killeagh on Sunday evening next, 8th inst., at 9 p.m. summer time. As business of much importance will be transacted a full attendance is expected.

TIPPERARY FARMER FINED £20

Failure to Comply with Tillage Order.

"ACT OF NATIONAL SABOTAGE."

The defendant, John Farrell, Bleau, Toomevara, was charged with failing to comply with the Tillage Order, 1940. Mr. James O'Brien, S.S., who prosecuted, said that this was the first prosecution of its kind to come before the Justice, and he thought it was the second in Ireland. The defendant in the present prosecution was a very comfortable farmer with 171 acres, of which 121 were arable, and under the regulations he was bound to till 15 acres. In point of fact he had tilled only 4 1/2 acres, leaving 10 1/2 acres of a deficit. The Legislature took a very serious view of breaches of the Order and had provided that a penalty not exceeding £100 be imposed on conviction.

Mr. O'Brien, continuing, said that the defendant believed that there were extenuating circumstances in his case. What happened was that in the month of March last he put up 48 acres for sale, but he was not successful in selling this portion of his land until June. He disposed of this land to a man named O'Rourke. Defendant was putting that fact forward in extenuation of his not having the tillage done, but the Department could not accept any such explanation as that. The Order had come into force on the 1st January last and was a continuing Order. The owner was bound to take the necessary steps in the early portion of the year to comply with the Tillage Order.

Even accepting the defendant's word with regard to the portion he had for sale, and had since sold, and excluding that from the total of his arable land the defendant had still failed to the extent of 50 per cent. in carrying out his duty under the Order. It may be that the defendant did not intend deliberately to contravene the Act, but at a time like this, when the country was passing through an emergency, such failure to carry out these regulations would appear to be an act of sabotage. The lives of the people depended on the food supply, and the owners of land were the suppliers of food. Failure to do this not only injured the farmer as a supplier, but affected all the people of the country. The Department regarded this case as a very serious one and had asked him (Mr. O'Brien) to represent it to the court. He would ask the Justice to impose such fine as would make it clear to owners of land that they must till one-eighth of their arable land.

Thomas Daly, an Inspector under the Department of Agriculture, in evidence bore out the statement of Mr. O'Brien with regard to the acreage of defendant's arable land and the amount he had failed to till. He said the defendant had two farms, the larger one being situated seven or eight miles from his residence. In all there were about 50 acres which witness considered were not arable.

In reply to Mr. J. J. O'Meara, for the defence, the witness said that he visited the defendant's lands on the 30th March last. He walked over the land, and he failed to till. He said the defendant had two farms, the larger one being situated seven or eight miles from his residence. In all there were about 50 acres which witness considered were not arable.

Witness will come here to swear that it is impossible to plough the land—that it may have a good appearance but just underneath it is all stone.

Justice—I am not to go into that. All the farmers have tilled the land and the defendant is the exception. I cannot go behind the Inspector's evidence. If the defendant had any complaint with regard to the nature of the soil he should have brought it before the Department. On the Inspector's evidence I must hold that the defendant failed to comply with the Order.

Mr. O'Meara referred to a section of the Act which he said required the owner to till one-eighth of his arable land in the year 1940. The year had not expired yet.

Justice—When do you suggest that tillage operations should start?

Mr. O'Meara—They could start next November, when the defendant could plough the land.

Justice—I am rather against you in that point—it is against common sense.

John Farrell, the defendant, said that when he went into residence in his present house he had to do it up and put houses, etc., in order. He was engaged at that work for some time, and he had no equipment for tillage. In January and February last he had advertised the land for conacre. He expected he would have no trouble in getting people to take it as such for the season. When he failed to get anyone to take land as con-acre he bought some tillage equipment and did the best he could. Had he known in time he would not have customers for the con-acre he would have complied with the law, but he was disappointed in getting the land. He had no intention of breaking the law in this respect.

Mr. O'Meara—Do you intend to till those 10 1/2 acres before the end of the year?—I could not plough land now if I got £100 an acre. (Laughter.)

Could you plough it in October?—It would depend on the weather.

The Justice said this was the first case of the kind he had had. On the contention about some of the land not being arable, he was sure that there was some regulation to permit a farmer to appeal against the Inspector's report. He would be surprised if there was no such provision made.

Mr. O'Brien said that he did not think that there was such a provision, but of course it was open to a landowner, if he disputed the decision of the Inspector, to apply to the Department.

A witness having given evidence to the effect that a good deal of the land was not arable.

C. McCutcheon, auctioneer, Nenagh, said that he got instructions early in the year to advertise 10 acres of the defendant's land for con-acre. Defendant made every effort to have it let for that purpose, but five or six people refused to take it, be-

IRISH EGGS AND CHEESE.

HIGHER PRICES IN BRITAIN.

The Minister of food is now the sole purchaser in Britain of eggs imported from Eire, and from all other countries, under a scheme which preserves, as far as possible, the normal pre-war channels.

The following prices have been fixed for eggs from Eire:—

(A) Minimum weight 17 lbs. per great hundred (no 12 eggs weighing less than 26 1/2 ozs.), 3/- per doz. retail; 27/- per great hundred ex-wharf, and 27/6 to the retailer.

(B) Minimum weight 15 lbs. per great hundred (no 12 eggs weighing less than 22 1/2 ozs.), 2/9 per doz. retail; 24/6 per great hundred, ex-wharf, and 25/- to the retailer.

(C) Minimum weight 12 lbs. per great hundred (no 12 eggs weighing less than 17 1/2 ozs.), 2/6 per doz. retail; 22/- per great hundred, ex-wharf, and 22/6 to the retailer.

CHEESE. The price of cheese from Eire has been increased, with other Commonwealth imports of this commodity, to 64/4 per cwt., ex-store on a first-hand sale, and 100/4 per cwt., delivered wholesale.

The retail price will be 1/1 per lb. From the first of next month the maximum prices for the main varieties of British home-produced cheese, both farmhouse and creamery, will be reduced to the same levels as imported.

THE COMMON EEL.

Unlike salmon, shad and other fishes which enter fresh water, the eel spends its long life in fresh waters, descending to the sea in old age to spawn but once, and male and female die. For centuries, female eels with ripe eggs were unknown. Finally, modern deep sea investigations succeeded in locating the spawning grounds of both European and American species in the region of the Bermuda Islands, where the water reaches the depth of a mile. The eggs are laid at depths between 600 and 900 feet. The larvae continue to rise as they grow. The female eel is very prolific, producing between five and ten million eggs. A number of undeveloped eggs is carried by each female not developing while the eels linger in fresh or coastal waters—although the European and the American species of larvae are nearly alike and their breeding grounds partially overlap, neither crosses nor visits one another's shores. The European species has a few more vertebrae than its American relative. At the larval stage, and until they reach their respective shores, they resemble transparent bits of ribbon. Both species start out, mayhap together, over a route neither has travelled before, but when they come to the parting of the ways the European species, with three years' journey ahead of it, says goodbye to its American cousin, which has only one year's swim to get to its future home. Arriving at their respective shores, they enter streams and rivers, as elvers or young eels, about three inches in length, constantly moving up stream. The adults move down towards the sea and do not return. By what means this unerring homing instinct is transferred from the parents, which never return to their offspring, awaits a future solution.

cause, they said, although it looked like arable land, it was not arable. Defendant did his best in the matter.

Mr. O'Brien said that as this case would get a certain amount of publication he would like it to be known that farmers could not come to court and say: "Ah, I have up to the end of December to comply with the Order." Acts of Parliament were often difficult to interpret, but the reasonable meaning must be taken. The farmer is required to cultivate—and maintain in cultivation—in the year 1940. How could he do that by starting on the last hour of the last day of December, 1940? It was an insult to a man's intelligence to put forward an argument like that.

INTERPRETING THE ORDER. The Justice said that Mr. O'Brien had put forward the State case with great fairness, as he always did. None of the facts in the case had been controverted in any way, nor was there any dispute about the number of acres that should be tilled. As regards the point that the tillage could yet be done in the year 1940, he did not consider that a reasonable proposition, and the defendant himself in evidence was frank enough to say that he did not intend to do any tillage this year. Mr. McCutcheon had given evidence about an area of land which the defendant wanted to let as con-acre on his place. Even accepting all that in favour of the defendant, the man had an outside farm of 83 acres. Under the Act he should have tilled ten acres there. The Order came into operation on 1st of January and was effective from that date. If it were to be held that the law need not be complied with until next November or December, the Act would be blown sky-high, a coach and four would be driven through it and its provisions rendered nugatory.

Proceeding, the Justice said that he considered this case as a serious infringement of a very important Act of Parliament at a time when they were all passing through a grave period of national emergency. Lack of food during such a period at such a time might have disastrous results, and farmers, who had the land for the production of food, must comply with the Orders made. It was very glad to hear Mr. O'Brien say that this was only the second case under the regulations, but he was sorry that one should have occurred in Co. Tipperary. He did not think that classing acts of this kind as acts of national sabotage was an unfair description, nor was it a statement too highly coloured. If a man did not comply with these regulations the Department could enter on his lands and have the work done.

Mr. O'Brien—That is so.

Justice—Instead of doing that they have come to me and asked me to fix a penalty. In the circumstances of the case I do not want to impose the highest penalty, but I must order the defendant to pay a fine of £20.

Mr. O'Meara asked that the fine be reduced, but the Justice refused to reconsider his decision.

TURNIPS FOR THE TABLE

By H. L.

Last winter, during the scarcity of green stuff, the demand for turnips became very keen. The Minister, too, is most anxious that an increased acreage of root crops for the table should be grown all over the country so that there will be plenty of food "in store" for the winter.

The growing of edible winter turnips should prove no difficulty to the farmer who has grown any normal agricultural root crop. It is possible to sow the seed any time from the third week of July to the end of August, and it should prove a valuable catch crop after potatoes, peas, early beans, and so on.

Even in peace time turnips on an average yield a very fair margin of profit, and under present conditions, with the supply cut off from Europe, the sale should be good. It is a crop that does best, perhaps, on a sandy loam, but with good culture, fair samples can be produced on most soils.

Flca Beetle Danger Less. There is never the same difficulty with the flea beetle as the summer sowings as there is in the spring.

After crops that have been well manured there should be no need to apply a heavy dressing of farmyard manure. A good fish manure may be used at 5 cwt. per acre plus 1 cwt. of sulphate of potash and 3 cwt. of superphosphate. Soils of a sandy nature may need another 5 cwt. of meat and bone meal in addition.

Limac For Acidity. Where there is any tendency to acidity, lime should be applied as a surface dressing just before seed sowing at, say, half a ton to the acre.

The seed should be sown with the drill, spaced 18 inches apart and set about 1/2 in. deep. The amount of seed used per acre should be between 3 and 4 lb. Directly the seedlings are through, the plants should be thinned out to 6 in. apart in the rows, though where it is intended for roots to stand in the ground throughout the winter they should finally be left at 1 ft. apart, each alternate root being removed by a first pulling carried out late in the autumn.

Turnips always repay good cultivation, and at all times the surface soil must be kept loose and free from weeds. This assists quick growth and checks evaporation of soil moisture. Cultivation will, of course, not be necessary when the winter sets in.

It is useful to store the roots in clamps, hogs or holes, for, apart from the possibility of their being damaged in the open during a very sharp frost, there is always the possibility that the ground may be frozen so hard that they cannot be lifted.

When storing, the tops should be first cut off, leaving 1 in. of the stems on the neck, but the tap root must not be cut. The roots should then be laid in heaps and be covered with straw and then with soil—as for potatoes.

Varieties that are suitable for sowing at this time of the year are Model Winter, a green-top with a white skin and flesh, very hardy; Marble Greentop, and Chirk Castle Black Stone, which is popular. A good yellow garden turnip that stands the winter well is Orange Jelly, sometimes called Golden Ball, while some growers prefer a good swede like Laing's or Bronze Top.

FROM DERRY JAIL TO PRISON SHIP.

INTERNEES TRANSFERRED.

Handcuffed and under armed escort, the 150 Republican internees in Derry Jail were transferred on Monday to the prison ship, Alrawadh, anchored in Strangford Lough Co. Down.

Extraordinary precautions were taken in Derry by the police and military authorities. Streets in the vicinity of the prison were closed to traffic. Pedestrians had to show identity cards in streets adjoining the prohibited area. Entrances to some streets were barred by barbed wire entanglements, while military and police guarded vantage points.

The prisoners were conveyed 130 miles to Strangford in twelve buses, guarded by a convoy of armoured cars.

On their arrival at Killybegs, a little village on the shore of Strangford, police cordoned off the pier and the prisoners were shipped into boats, each holding about 30 men. Two boats at a time were towed out to the prison ship, a motor-boat filled with police following behind. Inside an hour all the prisoners had been placed on board without incident.

There are still over 100 internees in Belfast Jail to be transferred to the prison ship.

18 FOOT BOAT WITH SAILS AND OARS CROSS THE ATLANTIC.

Without a compass and with no navigational aids except a chart and a wrist watch four Norwegians—three of them landmen on Wednesday completed a 41-day crossing of the Atlantic in an 18-foot boat.

The four, a sailor and three demobilised soldiers, who had never before been to sea, fought storms and shortage of water and food on the 3,000 mile voyage in an old vessel propelled by sails and oars. When finally they arrived here they had no food beyond a few sodden biscuits. Their rations ran short not long after leaving Norway.

They had an engine in the boat, but found it impossible to get petrol when they sailed, and they touched no land between Norway and Newfoundland. Within sight of Newfoundland head winds prevented them from making land for three days, and their frail craft bobbed like a cork in heavy seas until a favourable wind finally brought them in.

Before the war the three soldiers had been clerks. They were called up when Germany invaded Norway, and when they were demobilised they decided to try their fortune in the new world.

BIG ANGLO-AMERICAN DEAL

President Roosevelt notified Congress on Tuesday that an agreement had been reached between the United States and Great Britain, under which the United States will lease naval and air bases in British possessions in the Northern and Southern Atlantic and transfer 50 over-age American destroyers to the Royal Navy.

The President intimated that the United States will acquire naval and air bases in the following British territories—Newfoundland, Bermuda, The Bahamas, Jamaica, St. Lucia, Trinidad, Antigua, and British Guiana.

"The rights to bases in Newfoundland and Bermuda are gifts generously given and gladly received," President Roosevelt declared in his special message to Congress. "The other bases mentioned have been acquired in exchange for 50 of our over-age destroyers."

The Senate not being in session on Tuesday, this vital Presidential message was sent only to the House of Representatives, whose members were debating the Conscriptio Bill. The President announced that the agreement had been effected in an exchange of notes between the British Ambassador, Lord Lothian, and the Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, dated September 2nd.

"It is not inconsistent in any sense with our status of peace," continued the President, "still less is it a threat against any nation. It is an epochal and far-reaching act in preparation for continental defence in the face of grave danger," the message added.

THE PURCHASE FROM NAPOLEON. "Preparation for defence is an inalienable prerogative of a sovereign State and under present circumstances this exercise of a sovereign right is essential for the maintenance of our peace and safety. This is the most important act in reinforcement of our national defence that has been taken since the Louisiana purchase."

(Under the purchase the United States acquired from Napoleon the great empire French Empire west of the Mississippi.)

"Then as now considerations of safety against attack from overseas were fundamental."

"The value to the Western Hemisphere of these outposts of security is beyond calculation. The need for them has long been recognised by those primarily charged with the duty of charting and organising our own nation's naval and military defence. They are also essential to the protection of the Panama Canal, Central America and the northern portion of South America, the Antilles, Canada, Mexico, and our own Eastern Gulf (of Mexico) seaboard. Their consequent importance in hemisphere defence is obvious, and for these reasons I have taken advantage of the present opportunity to acquire them."

The President enclosed in his message to Congress an opinion by the Attorney-General, Mr. Robert Jackson, dated 27th August, regarding his authority to consummate the agreement. It is stated in Washington that no action by Congress will be necessary to put the agreement into effect.

Mr. Jackson, the Attorney-General, informed the President that an arrangement might be concluded as an executive agreement to be effective without waiting for ratification, and that there is Presidential power to transfer the title and possession of the proposed considerations upon certification by the appropriate Staff Officers.

Mr. Jackson held that the dispatch of the so-called "mosquito boats" now building for the U.S. Navy to Britain "would constitute a violation of the statute law of the U.S."

"This would not be true, however, in respect of the over-age destroyers, since they were clearly not built, armed or equipped with any such intent to enter the service of a belligerent."

MR. ROOSEVELT'S COMMENT. The chief value of the naval and air bases was that they would keep the enemy away from the United States front door, said President Roosevelt at a Press Conference in the train, while travelling to Washington on Tuesday.

The enemy had got to get through these naval bases "before they can get at us," he said. The epochal acquisition of the bases, he continued, was probably in some respects the most important thing for American defence since the Louisiana purchase in 1803.

The President dropped what appeared to be a hint that further history-making steps might be taken to provide additional distant bases to protect the Western Hemisphere.

When asked if the agreement with England might lead to the pastation that a base would be established in Greenland, Mr. Roosevelt replied that he thought the reporters should refrain from writing that it was a forerunner of anything else.

The President said that the destroyers would be transferred to England reasonably soon.

Asked whether some of them were already on the way, he replied that he would not say that, and that he did not know where they were at present. He added that the United States could not, of course, deliver the destroyers to England.

This remark was taken as implying that British or Canadian crews would man them.

Mr. Roosevelt read the reporters a copy of his message to Congress, and remarked: "It's all done; it's all over." He said that his final decision was reached on Sunday afternoon, when he conferred with Mr. Cordell Hull.

The fact that Mr. Churchill had reiterated through Lord Lothian that Britain would never surrender or sink the British Fleet led reporters to speculate whether the bases might one day be used by British warships. The President refused to discuss this saying that he only assured that the British Fleet would go wherever it was needed for defence.

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over-age destroyers. In return she has leased naval and air bases in the West Indies, and made a gift of rights to bases in Bermuda and Newfoundland.

A White Paper published on Tuesday, giving the text of notes exchanged between the British Ambassador at Washington and the United States Secretary of State, shows that the West Indian bases are in the Bahamas, Jamaica, St. Lucia, Trinidad, Antigua, and British Guiana.

The following is the text of the Notes:— No. 1.—The Marquess of Lothian to Mr. Cordell Hull, Washington, Sept. 2, 1940. "Sir—I have the honour, under instructions from His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, to inform you that, in view of the basis of friendship and sympathetic interest of His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom in the National Security of the United States and their desire to strengthen the ability of the United States to co-operate effectively with other nations of the Americas in defence of the Western Hemisphere, His Majesty's Government will secure the grant to the Government of the United States, freely and without consideration, of the lease for immediate establishment and use of naval and air bases, and facilities for the entrance thereto and operation and protection thereof on the Avalon Peninsula and on the Southern Coast of Newfoundland and on the East Coast and on the Great Bay of Bermuda."

"Furthermore, in view of the above and in view of the desire of the United States to acquire additional air and naval bases in the Caribbean and in British Guiana, and without endeavouring to place a monetary or commercial value upon the many tangible and intangible rights and properties involved, His Majesty's Government will make available to the United States for immediate establishment and use of naval and air bases, and facilities for entrance thereto and operation and protection thereof, on the Eastern side of the Bahamas, the Southern Coast of Jamaica, the Western Coast of St. Lucia, the West Coast of Trinidad, in the Gulf of Paria, in the Island of Antigua and in British Guiana within fifty miles of Georgetown, in exchange for naval and military equipment and material which the United States will transfer to His Majesty's Government."

FREE OF RENT AND CHARGES. "All of the bases and facilities referred to in the preceding paragraphs will be leased to the United States for a period of ninety-nine years free from all rent and charges other than such compensation, to be mutually agreed on, to be paid by the United States in order to compensate the owners of private property for the loss by expropriation or damage arising out of the establishment of the bases and facilities in question."

"His Majesty's Government in the leases to be agreed upon, will grant to the United States for the period of the lease all the rights, power of authority within the bases leased, and within the limits of territorial waters, and air spaces adjacent to or in the vicinity of such bases necessary to provide access to and defence of such bases and appropriate provisions for their control."

"Without prejudice to the above-mentioned rights of the United States authorities and their jurisdiction within the leased areas, the adjustment of the authorities of the territories in which those areas are situated shall be determined by common agreement."

"The exact location and bounds of the aforesaid bases, the necessary seaward coast and anti-aircraft defences, the location of sufficient military garrisons, stores and other necessary auxiliary facilities shall be determined by common agreement."

"His Majesty's Government are prepared to designate immediately experts to meet with experts of the United States for these purposes. Should these be unable to agree in any particular situation, except in the case of Newfoundland and Bermuda, the matter shall be settled by the Secretary of State of the United States and His Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs."

The following correspondence passed between the two parties to the agreement.

MR. CORDELL HULL TO THE MARQUESS OF LOTHIAN. "Excellency—I have received your note of 2nd September, 1940. I am directed by the President to reply to your note as follows:—

"The Government of the United States appreciates the declarations and the generous action in His Majesty's Government as contained in your communications, and in view of the security of the United States, and greatly to strengthen its ability to co-operate effectively with the other nations of the Americas in the defence of the Western Hemisphere. It therefore, gladly accepts the proposals."

"The Government of the United States will immediately designate experts to meet with experts designated by His Majesty's Government to determine upon the exact location of naval and air bases mentioned in your communication under acknowledgment."

"In consideration of the declarations above quoted, the Government of the United States will immediately transfer to His Majesty's Government fifty United States navy destroyers—generally referred to as the 1,200 tons type.

The United States Navy Department announced that the first eight of the fifty destroyers to be delivered to Britain are at

Boston and should be ready for delivery by next Friday. They will be sent to Canada with their present crews, it was added, there to be taken over by British seamen. The other destroyers would be "ready when requested, and would be in an operating condition."

It was also announced in Washington that Admiral Stark, Chief of Naval Operations, had fulfilled legal requirements for disposing of the destroyers and fighting equipment by certifying that the release of the vessels and the acquisition of defence bases would strengthen rather than impair the nation's defences.

The Navy Department stated that the destroyers which were going to Britain represented a current value of approximately \$5,000,000 dollars (about £2,250,000).

BRITISH ASSURANCE. Britain has given the U.S. a definite assurance of its intention "never to surrender or sink the British fleet in the event of the waters surrounding the British Isles becoming untenable for his Majesty's ships."

The State Department made the fact known by making public the exchange of correspondence between Mr. Cordell Hull and Lord Lothian, the British Ambassador in Washington.

The announcement was made public after the White House had announced the arrangements for the acquisition of air and naval bases. Instead of being sunk or surrendered the State Department was told the British Fleet in a last resort would "be sent overseas for the defence of other parts of the Empire."

Mr. Hull wrote to Lord Lothian saying that the Prime Minister in June had said—"The British fleet would in no event be surrendered or sunk, but would be sent overseas for the defence of other parts of the Empire," and asked Lord Lothian whether "the foregoing statement represents the settled policy of the British Government."

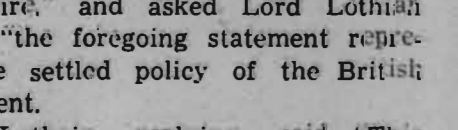
Lord Lothian replying, said—"This statement certainly does represent the settled policy of His Majesty's Government."

GERMANY'S VIEW. An authorized German spokesman was extremely cautious about commenting on Tuesday night on the new Anglo-American agreement.

"It is a question of conceivably vast import to which the German attitude cannot be defined before a thorough-going study of all the aspects of international law involved," he said.

THE last 10 years have witnessed marked changes in the fashion in Wallpapers. The newest vogue is the resurrection of the Empire Regency Period. Thus, when decorating a modern house she should keep to very quiet tones, possibly introducing self colours which help to make rooms look much larger. This, of course is a vital consideration in a modern house where space is sometimes very limited. The new Wallpapers stocked by us fit in well for this purpose, especially the light patterns as these give character and a furnished effect to a room without detracting from the apparent size. The tendency to change Wallpaper is greater now than ever before, as people take greater interest in the home, perhaps because there is a far larger proportion of house-owners than in previous times. It is often desirable to alter the appearance of a room. An uncomfortably large or ugly, gainly one looks smaller and cozier when an assertive colour like red, orange or warm yellow is used to make the wall appear to come forward.

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